

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-seventh Legislature

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

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'Sec. 30. Females not to be employed more than 9 hours a day. No female shall knowingly be employed in any of one or more workshops, factories, manufacturing, mechanical or mercantile establishments, beauty parlors, hotels, commercial places of amusement, restaurants, dairies, bakeries, laundries, dry cleaning establishments, telegraph offices, in any telephone exchange which has more than 750 stations or by any of one or more express or transportation companies in the State more than a total of 9 hours in any one day; except when a different apportionment of the hours of labor is made for the sole purpose of making a shorter day's work for one day of the week; and in no case shall the hours of labor exceed a total of 10 hours in any one day or a total of 54 hours in any one week.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 30, § 31, repealed and replaced. Section 31 of chapter 30 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 31. Fifty hours a week in certain establishments for females. No female shall knowingly be employed or accept employment as a production worker in any of one or more workshops, factories, manufacturing or mechanical establishments more than a total of 50 hours in any one week.'

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 30, § 32, amended. The 1st paragraph of section 32 of chapter 30 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'No female shall knowingly be employed or accept employment in any of one or more mercantile establishments, beauty parlors, hotels, commercial places of amusement, restaurants, dairies, bakeries, laundries, dry cleaning establishments, telegraph offices, in any telephone exchange which has more than 750 stations or by any of one or more express or transportation companies in the State more than a total of 54 hours in any one week.'

Effective August 20, 1955

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## Chapter 349

AN ACT Relating to Election of Chairmen of State Committees of Political Parties.

*Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:*

R. S., c. 4, § 16, amended. Section 16 of chapter 4 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding after the 4th sentence, a new sentence, to read as follows:

'The chairman of the State Committee may be chosen from within or without the membership of the State Committee and shall be chosen as soon as possible after the 15th day of May next following the state convention.'

Effective August 20, 1955